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In accordance with the duty of disclosure as set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.56, Applicant hereby submits the following information in conformance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.98, a copy of each of the documents was submitted in parent Application No. 09/505,886 and copies of these documents are therefor not enclosed.

U.S. Patent No. 4,202,357 - May 13, 1980
U.S. Patent No. 4,498,486 - February 12, 1985
U.S. Patent No. 4,572,218 - February 25, 1986
U.S. Patent No. 4,583,559 - April 22, 1986
U.S. Patent No. 4,788,989 - December 6, 1988
U.S. Patent No. 4,791,942 - December 20, 1988
U.S. Patent No. 5,040,550 - August 20, 1991
U.S. Patent No. 5,103,842 - April 14, 1992
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U.S. Patent No. 5,365,814 - November 22, 1994
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U.S. Patent No. 5,425,384 - June 20, 1995

U.S. Patent No. 5,526,581 - June 18, 1996

U.S. Patent No. 5,755,238 - May 26, 1998

The documents are being submitted within 3 months of the filing or entry of the national stage of this application or before the first Office Action on the merits, whichever is later, therefore no fee or certification is required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b).

To assist the Examiner, the documents are listed on the attached form PTO-1449. It is respectfully requested that an Examiner initialled copy of this form be returned to the undersigned.

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